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Ms. Hamilton:

Attached is an Amendment for the above-referenced application. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Gina McCarthy

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Amendment

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2003, and is accompanied by a petition for a three-month extension of the response period, so that the response period will expire on January 20, 2004. Consideration is respectfully requested.

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